

PRESIDENT SENDS A SHORT MESSAGE.

Chief Executive Deals Only With Reciprocity in Brief Document

READ IN CONGRESS TODAY

Suggestions of the President Require Little Over 300 Words in Calling Congress' Attention to the Work Ahead for Special Session.

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I transmitted to the sixty-first Congress January 26 last, the text of the reciprocal trade agreement which had been negotiated under my direction by the Secretary of State with the representatives of the Dominion of Canada. This agreement was the consummation of earnest efforts, extending over the period of nearly a year, on the part of both governments to effect a trade arrangement which, supplementing as it did the amicable trade relations which have been maintained for so long, would mutually promote commerce and would strengthen the friendly relations now existing.

The agreement in its intent, and in its terms, was purely economic and commercial. While the general subject was under discussion by the committees, I felt assured that the sentiment of the people of the United States was such that they would welcome a measure which would increase the volume of trade on both sides of the boundary, thus opening up the fertile and productive resources of Canada to the great mass of our consumers on advantageous conditions, and at the same time offer a broader market for the products of our farms and many of our industries. Details regarding a negotiation of this kind, however, could not be made public until the conferences were pending. When, however, the full text of the agreement was made public, it was received with data explaining both its purpose and its scope, became known to the people through the press, and was submitted to Congress. It was immediately apparent that the ripened fruit of the labor of the past year had been placed before the American people, and that the measure was fully appreciated and is responsive to the popular will.

The House of Representatives of the sixty-first Congress after full test of the arrangement with all the details in regard to the different provisions had been placed before it, as were before the American people, passed a bill confirming the agreement as negotiated. This measure called for action in the Senate.

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I am, constrained, in reference to public sentiment and with a realizing sense of my duty to the great masses of our people whose welfare is involved, to urge upon your consideration early conclusion of this agreement, in concluding these recommendations, the representatives of the two countries found themselves in their respective efforts to bring about the trade arrangement in the agreement by concurrent legislation at Washington and Ottawa. I have felt it my duty, therefore, not to acquiesce in relaxation of action until the opening of Congress in December, but to use my constitutional prerogative and convey the sixty-second Congress in extra session in order that there shall be no break of continuity in considering and acting upon this most important subject.

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The police were notified and they succeeded in gathering in three of the desperadoes. Later before Burgess Reish they paid fines aggregating seventy dollars. The B. & O. authorities are now looking for one of the gang who boarded a locomotive at West Meyersdale and opened the throttle wide, but the engine being on dead center it was not moved. It is supposed that the man who attempted this trick was frantic from fear and hoped to elude his pursuers by making a getaway on the locomotive.

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Daughters of Ruth Meet.
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Missionary Meeting.
The regular meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. W. Wright on East Main street. A large attendance is desired.

Birthday Dinner.
Judge and Mrs. R. E. Umbel are host and hostess at a birthday dinner today at their home in North Gallatin avenue, Uniontown, in honor of the tenth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Margaret. Dr. and Mrs. T. H. White and daughter, Miss Anna, are out of town guests.

Wedding Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Leichter have announced the marriage of their youngest daughter, Miss Marie Leichter, to Edward Mason, son of Mrs. Anna D. Mason of Connellsville. The ceremony was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Christian parsonage at Norfolk, Va., by the pastor Rev. C. M. Watson, former pastor of the local Christian church. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Mason will return to Connellsville to reside. The bridegroom is a civil engineer employed by the H. C. Frick Coke Company.

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SMITH-DAVIS.

Popular B. & O. Min. Weds. Miss Anna Davis of Uniontown.
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The ceremony was followed by a well appointed wedding dinner. The bride is widely and favorably known in Uniontown and has many friends in Connellsville. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hubbs of Connellsville, Mrs. Fannie Smith of New York, mother of the bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of New York.

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SUMMER TRIPS.

How To Take One Worth While at a Moderate Expense.
If you want to take a Summer trip worth while—one you will remember as long as you live with pleasure—you had better see the Foreign Department of The First National Bank of Connellsville. This department is agent for a number of Personally Conducted Tours to Europe—everything provided for at a fixed low price—nothing for you to worry about—every arrangement made for your comfort. Also for tours to Alaska, Yellowstone Park, Nova Scotia, St. Lawrence and Muskogee Rivers and the Green and White Mountains. Bookings must be made early, so you had better see The First National at once for full information.

Vanderbilt Minister Surprised.
Rev. J. H. Pryor, pastor of St. Paul's Baptist Church at Vanderbilt, was greatly surprised when a delegation from the congregation recently assembled at the parsonage and banded him a handsome donation. Joseph Sheppard, Nelson Baker, L. S. Anderson, Samuel H. Tyler, were at the head of the affair. A pleasant hour or more was spent as the guests of Rev. Pryor.

Patronize those who advertise in this paper.

Fight Pictures at the Lync Theatre

The pictures of the contest between Battling Nelson and Owen Moran yesterday afternoon and last night at the Lync Theatre drew big houses. The pictures show all of the 11 rounds, about the middle of the last of which Nelson loses to the sturdy little Briton. The last round alone is worth the price of admission. The pictures throughout are remarkable for their clearness, the realism of the fighters' actions in the ring, the crowd and general surroundings.

Each round lasts three minutes with a minute's intermission, the same as actually occurred in the ring at San Francisco. Nelson follows the style of fighting so characteristic of him, always boring in, always advancing, following Moran no matter how severe the punishment. At the opening of each round he runs across the ring to Moran's corner, eager for battle.

The end comes suddenly in the middle of the eleventh round, Moran sends over a terrific swing that catches Nelson apparently on the chin. The Dane flops to the mat, his head striking the floor with violent force. He is up in a few seconds, however, only to go down again from a side punch. Nelson is on the canvas three times more, being on his knees ready to get up when the fatal blow is counted. "The Dane protests that he did not hear the count, it is evident that he was not knocked out, but it is also very evident to the least experienced eye that he was in a bad way. The pictures will be given again this afternoon and evening."

Arthur J. Fisher, former manager of Bob Fitzsimmons and a noted boxing expert, lectures on the pictures.

The Program for Literary Contest.
Practically all arrangements have been completed for the annual Inter-Society contest of the Philo and Connellsville Literary societies to be held Friday evening in the Solson theatre. The program is one of unusual interest and the best literary talent from the two societies has been chosen to handle the subjects. The program is as follows:

Music, orchestra; essay, "Connellsville, the Trail of Civilization," Norma Woodall; Philomathen, "The Call of the Farm," Douglas Lacey; music, orchestra; reading, Philomathen, "The Bear Story," Susan Hucker; Connellsville, "We Are Seven," Margarette Little; music, orchestra; oration, Connellsville, "Character of Aaron Burr," Edward DeWitt; Philomathen, "The International Peace Movement," Charles Wolf; music, orchestra; debate, "Resolved, That reciprocity with Canada, as proposed by President Taft, would be for the best interest of the people of the United States," affirmative, Philomathen, Fred Thomas, Ray Towsey, negative, Connellsville, Charles Bryson, Clifford Wood, John G. W. Chambers.

Diana of School of Education, University of Pittsburgh; Dr. F. B. Trotter, Professor of Latin, University of West Virginia; Prof. R. K. Smith, Supervising Principal of the Dunbar township schools.

Hugh Fornwalt Dies at Wheeler.
Hugh Frank Fornwalt, aged 62 years, a former well known resident of the West Side, died this morning at 6:30 o'clock at his late home at Wheeler, following a lingering illness resulting from complication of diseases. Mr. Fornwalt was at one time a West Penn motorman and up until his late illness he was in the employ of the West Penn Railway Company. For the past several years he had resided at Wheeler.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret Fornwalt and the following children: Roy C. Samuel E. James F. Mary, Myrtle M. John E. Ralph and William E. all at home. Two brothers, Aaron G. Fornwalt of the West Side, and William of Jacksonville, also survive. Funeral from the family residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. E. B. Burgess, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church will officiate. Interment in Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

A STAG DINNER.
Given for Dr. C. W. Utts on His 35th Birthday.
Mrs. C. W. Utts was hostess at a prettily arranged 7 o'clock dinner last evening at her home on Main street, West Side, in honor of the 35th birthday anniversary of her husband, Dr. C. W. Utts. Covers were laid for 12 guests, including the most intimate friends of the doctor.

The affair was marked by faintly appointed suggestions of Easter. Daffodils formed the attractive floral decorations while yellow and white, the prevailing color scheme was also carried out in the place cards and the menu. M. S. Utts of Williamsburg, father of Dr. Utts and Paul Utts, a brother, Claude Anderson, New Salem; Attorney Bruce Sterling and Clyde Brenner, of Uniontown, were out of town guests.

To the Public.
This is to advise you that I have returned home, not having gone to Texas permanently; as I expect to make Connellsville my future home and voting place; all rumors to the contrary, nevertheless.

All persons owing me taxes are notified to settle at once; as I expect to push collections, and no favors will be shown, as I am compelled to settle all duplicates. Settle at once and save costs. Geo. B. Brown.

Fifty Years Ago Today.

April 5.
The United States took possession of the steamer Baltic and Atlantic of the Collins line and the Illinois of Vanderbilt's New York and Havre line for war purposes. Commodore Vanderbilt declared that everything he owned was at the service of the government.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.
Knights of Labor rescinded the order of March 31 for strikers on the Missouri Pacific to resume work because the road refused to take back all strikers.

Knights of Labor of Lynn, Mass., won their contention with Keen Bros. after a two weeks' strike.

The Newlyweds at the Soisson.
"The Newlyweds and Their Baby" arrived here this morning from Uniontown and will tonight occupy the stage at the Soisson. Uniontown came to the conclusion that it never saw better comedy than that performed by D. J. Dooh, and the rest of the show took splendidly.

The company is a large one. Quite a comedy has been worked around the cartoon characters originated by George McManis and the show is one of those where the humor gets plenty of action.

The advance sale of seats indicates that the house tonight will be big.

WHITE DEER SKINS.
They Passed About as Banknotes at One Time in China.

In China, the first country in the world credited with using banknotes, certain skins were so valuable that they were accepted as cash and passed from hand to hand in the same way as banknotes are at the present day. The negotiability of these skins arose thus:

The Emperor Ou Ti, being in want of money, gave his treasurer to understand that as a state of affairs must not continue, at that time it was customary for princes and courtiers on entering the royal presence to cover their faces with a piece of skin. Taking advantage of this custom, the treasurer ordered a decree to be issued requiring the use of any other skins for this purpose except those of a certain white deer in the royal park. Immediately there was a demand for pieces of these skins, which, being a monopoly, were sold at a high price and the royal coffers refilled.

The steady value of the skins thus secured made them readily pass and acceptable as an equivalent of coin of the realm. In the Russian seal fisheries of Alaska the workmen were formerly paid in the currency stamped on squares of walrus hide—London Tit-Bits.

Madrid's Fearful Climate.
Madrid is afflicted with the most changeable climate of any European capital. The temperature varies from as much as 107 degrees in the summer to as little as 30 degrees in the winter, and at all seasons of the year it indulges in violent fluctuations. It is by no means uncommon in December to wake up with the thermometer registering about 20 degrees and to find it amount to more than 60 degrees by the afternoon. Some years ago an oscillation of 37 degrees was registered in one day. No wonder, therefore, that lung troubles are far more prevalent in Madrid than in St. Petersburg.—London Chronicle.

How Music Affected Boswell.
Boswell had a good deal more feeling for music than Dr. Johnson and suffered at his master's hands. Once in a moment of expansiveness he told Johnson that music "affected him" to such a degree as to agitate his nerves most painfully, producing alternate sensations of, pathetic, dejection, so that he was ready to shed tears, and of daring resolution, so that he was inclined to rush into the thickest of the battle.

"Sir," replied Johnson, "I should never hear it at all if it made me such a fool."

PERSONALS.
Plans tuning and repairing. F. H. Rodriguez, Tel-State phone 770.
Miss Marie Clemens has returned home from her visit with the family of Mrs. Stanley Nelson at Morgantown.

M. J. Adams of Rockwood was in town yesterday on business.

The condition of Mrs. R. A. Yahrer, who is ill at her home on South Pittsburgh street, is slightly improved.

Mrs. Thomas Shortcut of Uniontown, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Work of Seventh street, West Side.

Good bass ball pictures and fine vaudeville specialties at the Arcade tonight. Joseph Solomon, who has been ill at his home on West Main street for the past several weeks, is convalescing. E. W. Hollinger is in Pittsburgh today on business.

Miss Lila Carson of Layton is the guest of friends in town today.

Scenes from "The Pirates Training Camp" at the Arcade tonight. Mrs. Charles J. Work left this morning for a visit with relatives in Frederick, Md.

E. Eufano is in Uniontown today on business.

Col. J. M. Todd is a business caller in Uniontown today.

That Bathroom of Yours

Bath tubs, bowls, kitchen utensils, etc., are enameled so that their smooth surfaces may be easily kept clean.

Scouring bricks and gritty powders ruin the polish of the enamel, making it rough and hard to clean.

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YOUR time is money. When you go to your bank for business purposes you want to be waited upon promptly. Quick service is our watchword. We are thoroughly equipped to receive deposits, answer inquiries in regard to individual balances and other questions with dispatch and accuracy. Four Per Cent paid on Savings and Certificates of Deposit. The Citizens National Bank, Connellsville, Pa.

Unclaimed Letters.
Unclaimed letters advertised at the postoffice at Connellsville, Pa. April 4, 1911:

Bryner Mrs. Mary, McDonnell E. W. Barker Robert, Martich Miss, Decker H. B. Smith, Malibu Mrs. A. August, O'Brien A. A. Phillip Mrs. Mary Collins Mrs. Emma, (Special) Coyne W. C. C. Brinkley I. H. Craig R. C. Hughes Pietro Cruz Chas. W. Rhoads P. C. Jameson Howard, Santel Pietro, Knights of St. Thomas Mrs. Kate George, Whitley M. W. Kelly Miss Sarah, Wagoner O. W. Kennedy Calvin, Weaver W. C. McQuerry D. H. Walker T. H. Morton Mrs. Western Mrs. McDermott C. H. Jarry, McDevitte D. Young G. W. Verelst.

Berg Stanislaw, Hymezek Waske Rudmer Anna, Hymezek Waske, Dinslow, Maxey, Hymezek Waske, Giovanni, Toban, Polerick Lutz, Bzyl Michael Dinitri Johann.

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Remarkable Values in LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS
We have placed on sale the best values in Ladies' White Lawn Waists, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery at..... **50c**
We Think Ever. Ask to See Them. Others at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3.

All the Newest Models in LADIES' CORSETS
Will be found here priced from 50c to \$3. And one especially grand good value in a long corset with hose supporters attached at..... **50c**
And at \$1.00 and \$1.50, none better anywhere at this price.

NEW HAIR GOODS
Beautiful New Puffs in all the new shapes. Crescent Crowns and switches, prices unmatched from \$1 to \$5. Easter Neck Fixings Jabots 25c and 50c Pretty Lace Dutch Collars 25c, 50c and 75c Pretty new Ribbon Bows, priced at 25c and 50c. New Sailor Collars with tie at 50c.

Misses' and Little Tots HEAD FIXINGS
Natty, pretty, and away down in price. Style and quality considered. We are pleased and know you will be also; start at 25c to \$2.50 and at..... **50c**
You'll spell it with a great big "O my, what a beauty."

Pretty New Jewelry
Beads are again the rage. We have the two great sellers, pearl and coral, at 10c, 25c and 50c Silver Purses—A beautiful line of these with patent frame, indestructible. \$3.00 to \$10.00 each. Leather Hand Bags—All the new shapes and exceptional values at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 to \$6.50

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The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, April 4.—Nicholas George of New Castle, is here visiting his parents for a few weeks. Andy Quait left on Monday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will make his future home.

Charles Bryson of this place, who is a student at the Connelville High School, is a member of the contest class of the annual literary competition. He is one of the contestants on the Connelville side and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bryson of this place.

J. W. Hays of Flatwoods, is here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. William Greenwood.

The Bell Telephone office in the Martin building, 101 West Side, presents a very pretty appearance since it has been repainted and repaired. The office is now in a smiling face of the operators. It is very interesting now to visit.

Mrs. Andrew Miller of Connelville on Monday attended the funeral of the late Michael Cunningham.

Walter Shuman, who has been looking over the new plant of the Pennsylvania Wire Glass Company, left on Tuesday for his home at Philadelphia.

John Old McGehee, who is employed at the Pennsylvania railroad station at Williamsburg, was here on Monday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McGehee.

On Tuesday morning he left for Portland, Oregon, where he will visit for the next month. Before returning home he will visit points of interest throughout the west.

On Monday, April 4, I will commence to leave commitments on all tax payers, property or voters' taxes, which remain unpaid, as the school board needs the money and that it must be collected within the next 30 days. All tax payers please take note of this.

R. D. Jones, who has been visiting friends at Williamsburg, returned home on Monday. He is now at his home at Williamsburg.

Mrs. Margaret and Mary Trickett spent Sunday the guests of their sister, Miss Helen Trickett, at Fairport.

Harriet Clark, proprietress of the Central hotel, was a business caller in Connelville on Monday.

Miss Edith Bunn of the West Side, Connelville, was here on Tuesday visiting friends.

T. E. Baker was a business caller in Connelville.

Walter Farr, who is employed at the West Side station, was here on Tuesday visiting his family.

Patrick Kells, who is employed at the West Side station, was here on Tuesday visiting his family.

Albert Lohr of Uniontown, was here the guest of friends.

David Williams was visiting west of Connelville on Tuesday.

Clark Williams was here on Tuesday visiting his family.

Dr. R. B. Gule was calling on friends on the West Side, Connelville, on Tuesday.

F. L. Robinson of Pittsburgh, was here the guest of friends on Tuesday.

James Deane was a business caller in Connelville on Tuesday.

Thomas Wagoner, who has been here visiting his family, left for Morgantown, W. Va., to resume his work.

Mrs. D. K. Smith was the guest of friends in Connelville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Smith and daughter of Williamsburg, spent Sunday here the guests of the family's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, called to South Union, Pa. to attend the funeral of his father, Joseph Wagner.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, April 5.—Mrs. Laura E. Egan of Connelville returned home yesterday after spending several days with Mrs. John Hawick.

The funeral of William Miller of Connelville was held at Addicks Monday. Interment was made in the Addicks cemetery. Mr. Miller was an uncle of Mrs. Ida and Perry Hurd of this place.

Miss Louise Lincoln of Uniontown is the guest of Miss Elsie Henge at Tanbush for a few days.

Mrs. Jasper Augeline of Uniontown was in town yesterday on her way to her home at Addicks after a visit with her son, John, at Addicks.

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Wm. H. Meyers of Mt. Pleasant, was here Saturday calling on friends.

Mrs. C. J. McGill was at Vanderbilt Sunday visiting Mrs. C. J. McGill.

Mrs. H. J. Hill was a Connelville caller Monday.

Mrs. J. McDonald has returned home from a business trip to Harrisburg.

Mrs. L. G. Miller of Williamsburg, is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Margaret and Helen Rush were visiting friends and relatives at Uniontown over Sunday.

James C. Stouffer was a business caller at Uniontown Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Wright was a business caller at Uniontown Monday.

Mrs. Amanda Campbell of Elizabeth, is here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith.

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Miss Cecelia Collins, who has been making a short visit with Constance friends, returned to her home near here Monday evening.

Miss Mary Hall of Bear Run, was shopping and visiting with OhioPILE friends yesterday.

Adolph Shilley of Commercial street, was transacting business matters in Connelville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jackson of Runford, Maine, are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jackson of Lower Commercial street.

Mrs. Frank Bailey and daughter, Miss Mildred, who have for the past few days been visiting with relatives and friends in Uniontown, returned home last evening.

Mrs. Grace Knox of South Connelville, was visiting with relatives and friends in town yesterday.

George Kurtz returned to his work at Humbert Monday morning after a short visit at his home here.

OHIOPILE, April 4.—Miss Leah Corbin, school teacher at Sugar Hill, brought her school to a close Monday evening, after having completed a very successful term. A spelling bee was scheduled for the evening and a good crowd was present. Several songs were sung by the scholars, with a number of very pleasing results. The evening was very much enjoyed by all present. Quite a number of young folks from OhioPILE were present and enjoyed the evening.

Mrs. Woodman was transacting business matters in Connelville last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holt were visiting friends and shopping in Connelville Tuesday.

Frank Jennings returned to his work at Glassport Tuesday morning after a short visit at his home near here.

J. H. Bailey was a business caller in Connelville on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. D. Gilchrist left last evening for Connelville, accompanied by her son, William and James.

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"This Stevens" sale is an advertising proposition pure and simple—our advantage is a superior grade of goods at a special low price. My profit is making 600 new acquaintances and winning their confidence. Stevens mountings are the best in the world—they occupy the same position in the optical trade as "Rogers Bros." do in the silver line, and "Elgin" or "Waltham" do in the watch business.

SUCH A STARTLING ANNOUNCEMENT no doubt makes you ask if it is absolutely bonafide and if so why I do it. The whole story is this. I have decided to make this unheard of sacrifice of regular \$4.50 and \$7.00 gold-filled glasses at \$1 for balance of week to gain the full support and patronage of Connelville people and thus build up an extensive optical business. The lenses are the same I sell in my regular line, every one fully guaranteed, and I use just as much care in fitting your eyes. Difficult cases a specialty.

Headaches and nervousness and other troubles far remote from the eye are often the direct result of an eye which is covered with the proper glasses would give immediate relief. It is not necessary for the eye to be sore to indicate the need of glasses. In many cases the eyes may be perfectly healthy and glasses may be needed for the reasons which are only apparent to the physician and skilled eye specialist.

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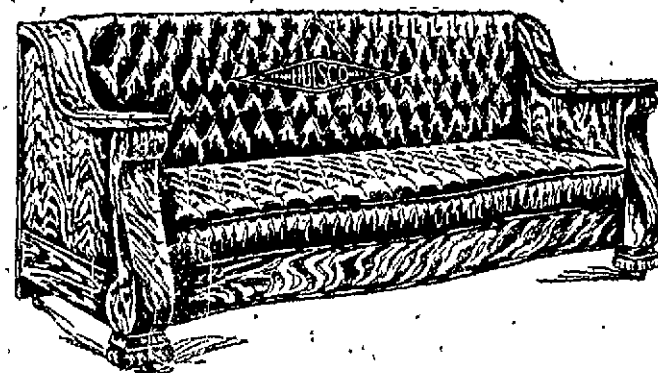
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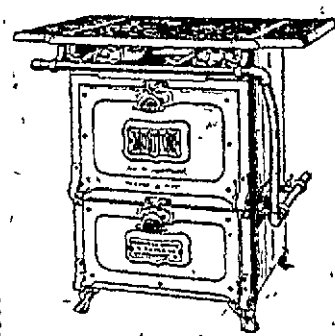
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THE PRESIDENT'S
RECIPROCITY MESSAGE.

The President's message explains why he felt it his duty to call the new Congress in extraordinary session, in spite of the fact that the Democratic wing will doubtless have business with its little tariff tinkering.

Concerning the Canadian Reciprocity act, the President says the diplomatic representatives of the Government of the United States and Canada "bound themselves to use their utmost efforts to bring about the Tariff changes provided for in the agreement by concurrent legislation at Washington and Ottawa," so that he was bound by this agreement to take the action he did.

The faith of the Administration pledged to this agreement through their proper representatives, there was no other course for it to take with honor to itself and the American people. We will, therefore, have to abide the results.

The President assures the Congress that Canadian Reciprocity is favored by a large majority of the people and should consequently be enacted into a law. He further declares that it will result "in increased trade on both sides of the boundary line, open up the reserve productive resources of Canada to the great mass of our consumers on advantageous terms, and at the same time offer a broader outlet for the excess products of our farms and many of our industries."

It has also invited increased industrial complications, opened up certain reserve productive sources of Republican trouble and offered the Democrats a broader outlet for the products of their mischievous meddling with the business situation.

While we doubt the wisdom of the reciprocity measure, we felt that it was worthy of a trial and was certainly preferable to an extra session. However, now that the President, in the language of Grover Cleveland, "has Congress on his hands," we will only hope that he will get Congress off his hands as fast as possible.

If he can get the statement to pass the reciprocity measure, we hope he will find some means to send them home as early as possible, though we confess that we do not understand how he can chase them out. That is one of the peculiarities of our form of government. The Congress can be called, but it cannot be dismissed. It comes on invitation, but stays as long as it likes. In Pennsylvania, the Executive has more power. He can call the Legislature in extra session for the consideration of special measures and he can limit their legislative functions within the scope of that call.

The country will, therefore, have to grin and bear it. But business might as well be cheerful. The Democratic House will not be able to accomplish any radical changes, and perhaps the Democratic leaders won't attempt any. They have not been in power for so many years that they must be excused for hankering to be hit by the tariff patronage of the House and enjoy the proud distinction of being able, after so many years, to control the stream of legislation in the south end of the Capitol.

THE DEAD-LOCKED
UNIONTOWN COUNCIL.

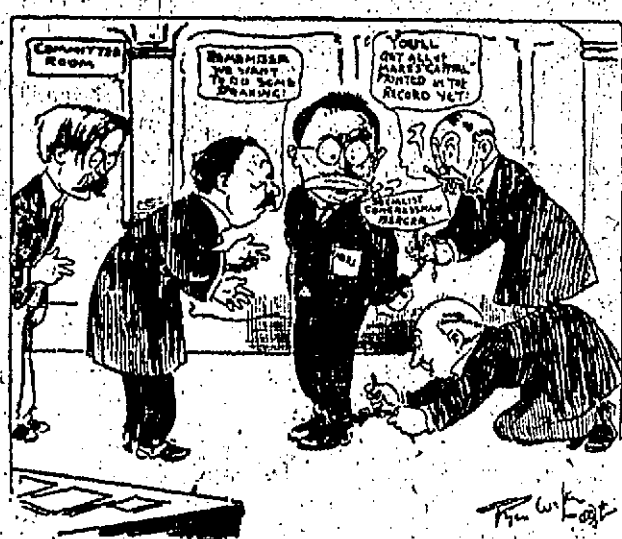
The hearing in the matter of the petition of a few citizens of Uniontown, asking the court to remove the entire Town Council because four members have systematically remained away from the meetings and prevented a reorganization, developed some curious legal propositions, but with three brilliant attorneys representing three conflicting interests this was to be expected. However, out of the wreck of its factional politics it is evident that the case contains but two points worthy of serious consideration, namely:

1. Was it necessary for the Town Council to reorganize at all?

2. If it was necessary, who are the recalcitrant members?

Without meaning to usurp the duties of the court, with all proper respect to its functions and with submission that newspaper law is not always good law, it seems to the mind of the layman that under the circumstances there was no necessity for the Town Council to elect new officers, and that the old officers by every rule of custom and law are holding over with power to exercise their functions in so far as they are permitted; and, further, that if any members of the Town Council are removed because of their neglect or refusal to attend properly to their duties, justice demands the removal only of those members who have persistently refused to meet and make an honest effort to transact the borough's business.

The Courier has always held to the view that members of Town Councils and School Boards who absent themselves from meetings with the deliberate intent of breaking a quorum should resign or be removed. We have had a number of such experiences in Connelville, and they are detrimental to the public interests and distasteful to public sentiment. The public expects and is entitled to have the business transacted in a business-like manner instead of having it kicked about like a football by petty political interests.



If our only Socialist Congressman insists on talking too much the old party members may be driven to desperate measures.

THE PROTEST AGAINST
THE RODERICK MINING CODE.

The protest against Chief Roderick's proposed new mining code seems to be unanimous. "The operators do not approve it, the miners do not want it, the inspectors are not demanding it and the mine foremen gave no indication that they intended. Under the circumstances it would seem that there rests upon the shoulders of the author of the bill a very large burden of proof to convince the Mines and Mining Committee that his code is necessary and proper legislation."

The operators vigorously resent the insinuation that they are careless of the safety of their mine, that they weigh dollars against blood, and express their willingness to "go the limit" to disprove such statements. The spokesmen for the Connelville operators declared that "a big explosion would wipe some of the operators off the map;" that "they must have safe mines for their own commercial protection;" and that, therefore, putting their motives "on the lowest and meanest basis of consideration," the Connelville operators make their mine safe because it pays them to do so.

He might have added that the Connelville operators as a rule are governed by motives of humanity in dealing with their employees. The relations between employer and employee in the Connelville region are perhaps better than they are in any similar industrial district, and they are so because the employers deal with their men fairly, pay them liberally and treat them paternally.

An interesting fact developed at the hearing was that the requirements of the Roderick code would make it impossible for many Western Pennsylvania mines to run at a profit because they are "considerably handicapped over competitors in neighboring States." They are handicapped because of the discriminatory freight rates, and against this condition they are now protesting with prospects of ultimate success.

To sum up, however, it appears that all interests think that the proposed code is vicious in many of its requirements and unnecessary to the reasonable and proper safeguarding of the mines, and that with some minor amendments the old law will be quite satisfactory. These are practical men. Their views are entitled to consideration against those of an official who probably wants to make it appear that he is earning his salary.

"The School Board Meeting," a tragedy in one act, was played by the Women's Culture Club Monday afternoon, but the real tragedy was really enacted by the real Connelville school board. The new evening and the imaginary band played softly just outside the imaginary band stand. "Dare to be right; Dare to be true."

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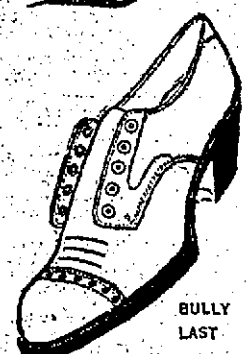


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THE MINE CODE HEARING IS HELD.

Operators and Miners Present Views on Proposed Legislation.

WORKMEN MAKE OBJECTIONS

The Owners of Coal Mines Are Generally Willing to Accept the Measure, But Some Amendments Are Asked For—Arguments Presented by Coke Men.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 5.—"We are willing to go the limit to show that statements are false which say that coal operators are regardless of human life." That was the gist of a statement made yesterday at the conclusion of a four-hour hearing on the Pittsburgh Bituminous Mine Code by H. E. Clark, General Manager of the Berwind-White Coal Company, who added that the operators wished to submit some amendments.

George W. Richards of Allegheny, chairman of the House Mines and Mining Committee, requested the operators to have their amendments drafted within a week, saying that the code could not be longer postponed by the committee. The operators went into conference at the Capitol last night and will probably finish their drafts today.

Until Clark made his statement the committee was confronted with the peculiar situation of no one appearing to wish the code passed except the man who drew it—James B. Roderick, chief of the State Department of Mines. The miners said they did not want it, they also said the fire bosses did not want it. None of the committee members appeared about it one way or another. The operators did not want it, nor were they enthusiastic about having it. Roderick, however, insisted that it ought to be passed, and continued to say so as the committee meeting adjourned.

The miners' speakers were introduced by Assemblyman William Feeney of Washington. Francis Feeney, President of District No. 6, United Mine Workers, opposed the code because he said the miners saw no necessity for it. They thought needed changes could be made by amending the present laws. Explosions and other accidents had been numerically reduced in recent years by preventive measures by the operators and more rigid inspection by the State Department of Mines.

He advocated a certificate law, such as Assemblyman Feeney introduced last night, and said that a committee of miners had considered and approved the code and that its report was accepted by his district convention, representing 40,000 miners and indirectly representing 75,000. He also offered to appoint a committee of miners to cooperate with any other committee in drafting a new code which would be better than the one which would be introduced at a future session. Feeney asked Chief James J. Roderick of the Department of Mines if the mine inspectors had been invited to be at the hearing. "Not by me," said Roderick.

He added: "The inspectors were here last week. They offered one or two minor amendments, which affect only themselves, and which I will present to the committee. Aside from that they approved the bill almost unanimously. The vote, I think, was 18 to 2."

Feeney then asked if representatives of the Fire Houses' Association were present, saying that the association had met in Pittsburgh last week and later told him they approved the bill. No such representatives were present, and Walter R. Calverly, general manager of the Berwind-White Coal Company, took issue with Feeney's statement, saying such an utterance was "hardly justifiable" in the absence of any representatives of the fire houses.

George Irish of Irish Bros., introduced the spokesman for the operators B. F. Clark of the Berwind-White Coal Company first talking. He said that the operators are as willing to produce coal at minimum cost of life as any one else, and that they have prepared themselves to accept the new code so far as they can.

Clark asked that the committee go no further toward hampering the operators with code than could be helped. Expressing a desire to do what is right, he pleaded that the operating end of the coal business be left as broad as possible, asserting that many accidents are directly due to the carelessness of the miners themselves. He placed such deaths during the past 33 years at 75 per cent of the whole, quoting inspectors' reports.

Clark also touched upon the cost of operation and asserted that the Western Pennsylvania mines were considerably handicapped over coal producers in neighboring states. He concluded by saying that, in according to most of the provisions of the code, the operators felt that they "are taking a step that is extremely dangerous, or close to the absolute extinction of the coal industry of this state under present conditions."

Samuel A. Taylor of the Pittsburgh Coal Company presented amendments to Article 1, so as to define "razzoum mines" and "non-razzoum mines," no such definitions being included in the bill, and to have second grade mine foreman's certificates for men who may act as assistants to first grade men. He also suggested a host of minor amendments.

Assemblyman F. H. Knight of Clarion asked if the operators, as a whole, wished the code passed. "On the whole," replied Taylor, "with some further amendments we are not opposed to this code."

Walter R. Calverly said that the operators were willing to concede reasonable measures which would make for the health and safety of the employees, even though such restrictions might impose additional burdens on the employers. He endorsed the code, generally speaking, on behalf of the operators, but qualified this by saying that a number of ambiguous provisions needed to be cleared up and other changes made.

J. R. Gray of Uniontown, speaking for the Cokes Producers' Association of Fayette county, said that the Connellyville coke region was ready to make its mines as safe as it is possible to do. He said: "Putting it up on the lowest, meanest basis of consideration, we have to do so, because it pays. A big explosion would wipe some of the operators of the map they must have safe mines for their own commercial protection. The operators are not interested in the safety of the community, but in the safety of the operators. We have been made up our minds to swallow all of this code that we can without absolutely hampering us. We want to put a stop to this constant agitation which crops out in the public press whenever there is a bad explosion that the operators do not cure and the state officials are lax."

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This code is simply the result of an honest effort to safeguard human life. It is in the hands of the committee for such disposition as they see fit.

Girl Attacked by Masked Man

Special to The Courier

GREENSBURG, April 5.—Most daring and equally brutal with any of the fiendish crimes that have been committed in Westmoreland county within the past few months was one that occurred yesterday afternoon about 2:50 on the Five Point road about two and one-half miles from Greensburg, near the farm of J. U. Kuhns. Sarah Stapp, the 16-year-old daughter of George Stapp was brutally assaulted and outraged on the public highway in broad daylight and the fiend apparently has made good his escape. Trailing to a point where she was only able to give a meagre description of the man who attacked her the girl's incoherent story gave the officers very little to work on. A detail of State police is at work on the case in addition to a number of other officers.

Suffering along the road in a dazed condition, the girl was discovered yesterday afternoon about 3:30 by Mrs. D. W. Goodman, an aunt of the girl and neighbor of the Stapp family, who was driving along the road. The girl was covered with mud and apparently was so stupefied that her story was scarcely intelligible. She was taken into the buggy by Mrs. Goodman and taken to the Stapp home where the family managed to gather a few facts sufficient to convince them that the girl had been the victim of an awful crime. The girl had started from her own home, which is the tenement house on the Kuhns farm to the big house which is about one-quarter of a mile further down the road. At the house in the road where both houses are hidden from view the man who assaulted her suddenly came into view and made an attack on her.

New Senator From New York and Man Who Gave Him Political Start.



RICHARD CROKER
SEN. JAMES A. O'GORMAN

Honor Roll at Parochial School And the Highest Averages Made.

Pupils of the Immaculate Conception school who have not absented themselves one session during the month of March are as follows:
Room No. 8, Alfred Aldridge, John Cuneo, James McGrath, Solomon Madigan, Edward Sudriak, Anthony Sikora, Margaret Burns, Mary Costello, Mary Dublin, Margaret Doyle, Bridget Gallagher, Anna McGrath, Alice McKelvey, Gertrude Wollinger.
Room No. 7, William O'Connor, John Hunt, William Doyle, Eugene Tipman, William Kliney, Francis McCashin, Cecelia Friel, Winifred Ryan, Bertha Collins, Margaret Kliney, Clara Cuneo, Anita Gaudin, Irene Aldridge, Agnes Murphy, Madeline Nee, Mona Smith, Eleanor Brown.
Room No. 6, Virginia Cuneo, Marie Cuneo, Helen Collins, Anna Donnelly, Phileas Donnelly, John Dotomple, Emma Fehor, Victor Fehor, Mary Gallagher, Irene Hunt, Mary Hariz, Raymond Kaylor, Charles McGinnis, Louis McCardle, Mary Noland, Timothy Sullivan, Anna Sudriak, William Bush, Anna Soloson, Gertrude Stillwagon, Mary Schilinger, Adrienne Soloson.
Room No. 5, James Allen, John Chaberry, John Downing, Alice Daly, Julia Duffey, Eugene Flanagan, Thomas Flanagan, Vincent Flynn, Pauline Galla, John Johnston, John Hughes, Anna Coyne, Mary Kerkling, John Kaylor, Marie Keating, Katharine Minster, Matilda McCashin, William Noland, John Rush, Paul Ryan, Veronica Sikora, Mary C. Soloson, Anna White, Ethel Wiedinger.
Room No. 4, Charles Dotomple, Elizabeth Galla, Mary O'Hara, Henrietta Hart, Joseph Lowmyer, Elizabeth Lehan, Teresa Muehrli, Francis Moyle, John McNulty, Aloysius Mikolowski, George Ranker, Harry Smith, William Schomer, Helen Schomer, Thomas Shearls, Edward Tachora.
Room No. 3, Clara Fleckenstein, Mary L. Beucher, Frances Brass, Catherine Tumney, Anna M. Soloson, Josephine Zimmerman, Mary Purcell, Pauline McGrath, Catherine Molding, Mary Aldridge, Gladys Noland, Frank Cunningham, Edward Taylor, John Beucher, Aphonsa Stillwagon, John G. Gaul, James Rush, Francis Sullivan.

Room No. 2, Keise Daly, John Boston, William Collins, Vincent Soloson, George Schindler, John Schneider, Joseph Opperman, Donald Bradley, Dorothy Conlon, Marybelle Keenan, Marcella Neuroth, Louise Riley, Elizabeth Ryan, Mary E. Altalston, Margaret Schilling, Joseph Marce.
Room No. 1, Jerry Tumme, James Taylor, George Walton, Regis Lowmyer, Henrietta Zimmerman, Lawrence Tachora, Elizabeth Coyne, Bertha C. Heucher, Auguste Brill, Louis Carcath, Vincent Cuneo, Albert Cuneo, Joseph Downing, John Dailov, Francis King, Joseph McDermott, William O'Donnell, John Purcell, Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Sikora, Rosa M. Burns, Anna Maynard.

The pupils who have attained an average of 90 per cent and over in the test of March are as follows:
Grade 8, Highest averages, 91.1 to 100 per cent, Francis Cuneo and Margaret Doyle, 94.5 to 100 per cent; over 90 per cent, Alice McKelvey, Gertrude Wollinger, Margaret Burns, Frances Friel, Agnes McGrath, Bridget Gallagher, Alfred Aldridge, Edward Sullivan.
Grade 7, highest averages, 95.1 to 100 per cent, William O'Connor, Winifred Ryan, 97.7 to 100 per cent, over 90 per cent, Clara Cuneo, Eleanor Brown, Teresa Burns, Madeline Nee, Elizabeth McCashin.
Grade 6, highest averages, Paul Duggan, 96.7 to 100 per cent, and Anna Donnelly, 97.3 to 100 per cent, over 90 per cent, Helen Collins, Virginia Cuneo, Vincent Duggan, Ruth Desnoing, Mary Schilling, Charles McGrath, Anna Sudriak, Albert Courtney, Alice Walsh, Paul Ralston, Mary Hariz, Nettie Opperman, John Dotomple, Timothy Sullivan, Adrienne Soloson, Thomas Lehn, Gertrude Stillwagon, Anna Soloson, Emma Fehor, Mary Noland, Victor Fehor.
Grade 5, highest average 91 per cent, John Rush and Margaret Noville, 95 per cent, over 90 per cent, Margaret Aldridge, Anna Coyne, Irene Duffin, Julia Duffy Thomas, Pin Ogden, Vincent Flynn, John Hughes, Anna White, Catherine Monister, James Patterson, Ethel Wiedinger, Veronica Sikora.

Room No. 4, Clara Fleckenstein, Mary L. Beucher, Frances Brass, Catherine Tumney, Anna M. Soloson, Josephine Zimmerman, Mary Purcell, Pauline McGrath, Catherine Molding, Mary Aldridge, Gladys Noland, Frank Cunningham, Edward Taylor, John Beucher, Aphonsa Stillwagon, John G. Gaul, James Rush, Francis Sullivan.

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"HENCEFORTH," said the Regal Shoe Co., "all the shoes we make will be priced at COST OF MANUFACTURE AND SELLING, PLUS FIVE PER CENT. COMMISSION, no matter whether that price figures out in odd or even money, and without regard to the 50c jumps between prices, heretofore arbitrarily fixed in the shoe business."

IT WAS NOT the five per cent. that gave the jolt. The Regal Shoe Co. has always done business on a five per cent. profit and every manufacturer knew it. It was the abandonment of the "even price" that caused the stir.

THAT "EVEN-PRICE" policy has been the darling superstition of the shoe trade for twenty years or more. Standard shoes had been sold for so long at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and so on, that dealers thought no other prices were possible.

"BARGAIN" SHOES—nameless products shoveled out by shoe "departments"—might be sold at odd prices. But standard makes—oh, never!

IT WAS ARGUED seriously by expert shoe-salesmen that men and women who wanted shoes of name and character would rather pay even prices. That is, they argued that a man would rather pay \$5.00 than \$4.85, whether or not he got anything worth having for that extra 15c.

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THEY COULD LET that \$4.85 shoe stand as it was and ask \$5.00 for it, getting an extra 15c profit, if Regal competition would allow it,—or

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THE MANUFACTURING COST of that shoe will be figured carefully; five per cent. will be added and a further allowance covering the actual cost of selling that shoe to the customer, and the resulting sum will be the price of that particular shoe, whether it is \$3.35, or \$3.50, or \$4.85, or whatever it is.

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A Romance Of Drussenland

By Percy Brebner

He did not answer. His eyes were fixed on mine, his sword flashed with mine. It was to be a duel to the death. We both knew that. He tried to force me back toward the hole. I tried to make him change ground with me. We neither of us succeeded, yet he had the advantage, for the flickering torch was before me and spotted my right somewhat. Twice, thrice, he made his sudden effort to halve the matter, once almost breaking through my guard. The point of his weapon touched my arm and the blood showed. The count smiled. The next moment I had touched him, and there ensued a fierce encounter for a few moments. I succeeded in getting round him. Now his back was toward the trap, the torchlight in his eyes. The advantage was with me. Whether it was the light that troubled him or that his courage failed him I do not know, but he fought less freely. Time after time he only just managed to keep my point from his breast, and unconsciously he drew nearer to the hole. Once or twice his eyes left mine for an instant—a bad sign—but it did not make me careless. Not for a moment did I forget the man with whom I had to deal.

Suddenly he attacked me more fiercely than before. "Clint!" I heard him utter between his teeth. Well could I understand him. His schemes were ripe. Tomorrow Yadsara would be his if only he could stay me. His swordsmanship was not equal to his ferocity, or perhaps he underrated my skill. I watched him, and I grew calmer. I waited until his heel was at the edge of the trap. Now I prepared to strike and said it, but once more he escaped me. He forced me back across the dungeon until my foot touched the wall, and he laughed. It was a strange laugh, such as few men laugh, for it ended in a gasping sigh, almost like the sound a pipe gives as the last of the water runs out, for the end had come. My blade had passed right through him. He threw up his arms and staggered back, falling beside the hole. I went to him.

"He is dead."

Daria was beside me.

"My love," I said, kissing her, "forget that name for awhile. We will go. I know the road. The danger is over."

"But you—you?"

"I am the count for tonight."

I took the cloak from the dead man and threw it around me. I took his sword and put it on instead of my own, and I drew his hat well over my eyes.

"Here is the key," I said, drawing it from the cloak. "Hurry! In case they should enter the dungeon when we are gone and should find that I would betray you."

I took the dead man by his limp arm and drew him to the edge of the trap. Then I let him go, and he slid noiselessly out of sight.

"Now come."

Her arm was in mine and I was dithering the key in the lock when there was a roar of voices in the corridor without.

"Vasca! The traitor! The traitor, Vasca!"

"The knight" whispered Daria. A thundering knock came at the door.

"Open in the king's name!"

"We are lost," said Daria calmly. I drew my sword and threw off the cloak. At least I might die fighting.

"Clint, kiss me!"

"Open, open!" she shouted without.

"Kiss me."

I kissed her, one long kiss.

"Now kiss me," she said.

Perhaps the request put the thought into my head.

"You do not fear death?"

"No."

I pointed to the trap.

"Only dead men take it, they say, and he still in the river bed. Yet one dead man rose to the surface. We might rise alive. It is a poor chance, but if death comes it will find us in each other's arms. It is better than waiting for tomorrow!"

She shouldered a little. Then she took my hands.

"I am ready," she said.

"Quickly!"

I sat down on the edge of the trap, even on the spot where a few moments before the dead count had rested.

"He beside me," I said to Daria.

"Now put your arms round me so, now your feet between mine, so. Do not struggle. To fall straight is our only chance. My darling, I love you. I love you!"

Our lips met.

"It is time. In another moment the door will be in."

I shuffled over the edge as I spoke, holding with one hand.

"You are ready?"

"Yes."

"Now!"

I let go my hold, and we slipped downward.

CHAPTER XXV.

THE brave woman in my arms uttered no sound as we went downward, slowly at first, but quickening our pace almost immediately. I felt her arms tighten round me a little, that was all. We so held each other that practically we fell extended to full length. I do not remember whether I was con-

scious of striking the top of the rocky incline or not, but I believe I was. We must have struck it at an angle which saved our limbs. I was conscious of being still whole in body. My arm protected Daria's head. My own, I suppose, I had some enough to raise a little. The way was rough and uneven. I have thought since that this shaft was originally a stratum of soft material in the heart of the rock and that those who had originally made this death way had followed it, since the working was easy. It is the only explanation I can find for the fact that after falling almost sheer for the first few feet it should suddenly change.

Down—down faster and faster! Still feet first, I believe. Some moments I feel sure I was conscious, at others I was not. I seem to remember that our speed increased, that loose dust got into my fast closed eyes. I seemed to cling closer to Daria as if in some way she were protecting me. I seem to remember hearing the sound of the swirling water coming nearer and nearer until it roared like continuous thunder, and then a swift plunge to death.

Then came a blank. I have no recollection whatever of what happened from the moment we plunged into the water until I awoke suddenly out of a faint. It may have been, to feel a faint wind upon my face and to draw into my lungs half a dozen long breathes of it. They were drawn in rapid succession, and then I felt the water close over my head again. I put out my arms to struggle, and a weight began to ally from me. I was fully conscious in a moment and closed one arm again only just in time to prevent Daria slipping from my grasp. I turned upon my back and with considerable difficulty shifted Daria's position until she lay upon my chest. With one hand I steadied her and with the other I drew my legs out from under her and she lay close beside the rock.

Fortunately for us the waters on this side, though running rapidly, had no swirling current in them. I had but to keep aloft and steer myself with my free arm and feet. I approached close to the bank, and there, striking as the painter, was a boat, the water lapping noisily from its bows.

I had to use force to unclasp Daria's arms from my neck. Perhaps I hurt her a little, for she sighed again. Standing in the water, I lifted her into the boat, then, working my hands along the gunwale to the stern, I got in myself. It was a comparatively easy matter to wrench the rope from its fastening on the bank, and the next moment we were drifting sharply down the stream. Not yet had I time to attend to Daria. I seized the oars and worked hard to get across, making slow headway, but drifting a great deal.

Of immediate pursuit I had no fear. Probably they would not go to my dungeon until the morning. It was Count Vasca, they thought, and those who attempted to follow after him, even if they knew the way he was to take, would have to fight their way out of the city. O'Ryan had told me that friends were watching over the count's safety that night. The same one had betrayed Vasca would probably only precipitate the revolution by a few hours. Strange that the success with which the count had arranged his plans should be the means of our safety.

I lifted Daria from the boat and laid her on the bank. Then I let the boat go downstream. It had served me well. It would be ill if its presence should tell tales of me at dawn tomorrow.

I looked to Daria, and even as I bent over her she opened her eyes.

"My love," I whispered, "we are safe."

I should never have reached the woods had I had to carry her all the way. She roused up presently, which in hardly to be wondered at, what with the cold and the jolting.

I set her on her feet. She must have been less bruised than I, for she walked more easily than I did.

"Clint!"

We went on in silence, our hands clasped. The rest of the journey to the woodcutter's hut she helped me far more than I helped her. I should have fallen from sheer exhaustion and slept had she not been with me.

"Clint, there is some one in the woods close to us," Daria whispered suddenly.

I was alert in a moment. Approaching danger aroused me as nothing else could.

"Vasca!"

For one moment I hesitated. Then I answered, "O'Ryan!"

There was a crackling of the branches and the Irishman stood in the path before us.

"You have been long."

"We are here," I answered.

"Why, man, that is not like your voice. What has happened?" And he caught hold of me. "Wet too. The boat was there."

"Yes, but we did not come the way we intended. Give me some wine? I am thoroughly done. A little rest and I shall be all right," I said.

"Rest must wait. We cannot stay here. Your highness is wet too." And O'Ryan offered her the flask.

"Must we start at once?"

"Yes, at once."

The wine did me good. I took a longer draft of it than would have been good for me at any other time. It drove the cold out, and the blood be-

gan to leap through my veins again. In the saddle I felt a new man, and with Daria between us, we began our journey.

The day dawned as we galloped onward. We did not talk. Neither Daria nor I had inclination to do so, and O'Ryan, I think, kept his eye upon both of us lest we should become exhausted and fall from our saddles.

The sun was hot as we began to climb the low hills, and then O'Ryan called a halt.

"An hour's sleep for you both and then we will go on again. See, yonder is Yadsara; the sun catches the ramparts on the rock summit. I will watch while you sleep."

When O'Ryan succeeded in rousing me I found that Daria was sitting beside me looking almost herself again, though in a somewhat dragged condition.

"I said one hour. You have slept three," said O'Ryan. "I awoke the princess more easily."

"I am a new man," I said, rising. "Her highness has told me how you came last night. Faith, it is a wonder that you are here now. Come with me."

I followed him. He pointed toward Yadsara.

A great cloud hung over the plain, and as I looked a flame shot up from the midst of the cloud and then another.

"Fire," I said.

"They are too busy to think of you this day. The revolution has commenced."

"Vasca was to be king today."

"Aye, his followers are probably wondering why he does not come to lead them."

"Is it time to mount? It would be hard to be captured now."

Daria's soft voice and her clinging arm recalled me to the present.

"It is time."

"In your country we will forget this."

"It shall never forget it," I answered.

"You will be with me. How shall I ever forget?"

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"In Yadsara."

"You would not bring her?"

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WHY THEY FAIL

Most Pile Remedies Miss the Cause of Piles.

Disagreeable treatment with ointments or suppositories usually fails to cure piles and cutting them off won't remove the cause. Such treatment only moderates the outside effects of the disease and fails to remedy the inside cause. The up-to-date doctor now uses internal medicine, to free the circulation in the lower bowel, and so remove the disease.

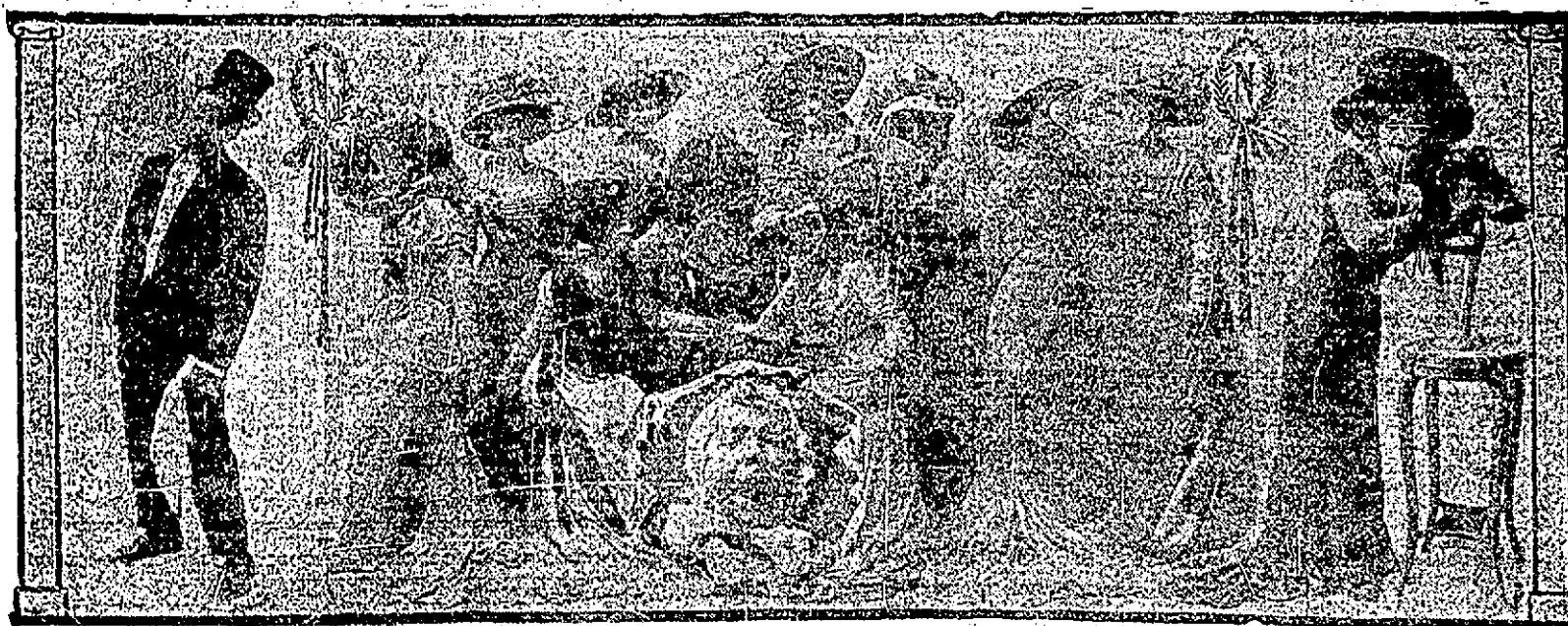
Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid, the first and only guaranteed internal pile cure—in the form of tablets—cures any kind of piles. Sold by A. A. Clarke, Connelville, Pa. \$1 for large box. Dr. Leonard Co., Station 11, Buffalo, N. Y.

LUMBER CAMPS ACT V

In West Virginia Along the Fayette County Line.

The Tri-State Lumber Company, with plants at Lick Run, Sutherland and Hookersville, W. Va., on the Springhill township line, is contemplating putting on a night force at the Lick Run plant, thus doubling the capacity of the plant at that place. The matter has not been definitely decided yet but it is more than likely that the additional force will be put to work next week so that the output of the plant will be increased from approximately 20,000 feet per day to approximately 40,000 feet a day.

Mr. Rush stated that there was strong talk of the construction of a railroad down the Cheat valley to the B. & O. at Point Marion or some near-by point.



Lovey, Snookums, Dovey and The Gown Girls in "The Newlyweds and Their Baby," at the Soisson Theatre Tonight.

VERY LARGE CLASS AT SCOTSDALE.

Thirty-Eight Men Being Examined for Better Positions in Mines.

EFFECTS OF INSTITUTE SHOWN

Nine More Men Are Trying to Secure Mine Foreman's Certificates Than Last Year—D. R. Blower, Edward Quinn and S. J. Lohr on Board.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, April 5.—The examination for certificates for mine foreman and fire boss began yesterday in the Odd Fellows hall, above the postoffice, with a large class of the Eleventh Bituminous district. There are 38 men taking the examination for mine foreman, an increase of nine over the large class of a year ago. They are an earnest, ambitious set of men, intent upon bettering their condition in life, and the effects of the Y. M. C. A. Mining Institute, and the system of teaching their employees in many things regarding their work as inaugurated by the Frick company evidences in the men's diligence and deportment.

The examining board is composed of State Mine Inspector D. R. Blower, of Scottdale, Edwin Quinn of Emerson and S. J. Lohr, of Union, both of the Frick company.

The following are the members of the class and their addresses: Martin Ryan and John O. Reed of Tarr; West Duncan, John Brown of Calumet; William H. Grubbe, Martin O'Laughlin, Joseph T. Boranek, Charles Seligman, Jonathan Rodgers, Samuel Quercy and William H. Freeman, of Mt. Pleasant; John L. Burke, Greensburg, R. F. D. No. 4; Frank McClean, Greensburg, R. F. D. No. 5; Christ Watson, Greensburg, R. F. D. No. 5; Martin Laick, Greensburg, R. F. D. No. 5; Elmer Nicholas, Greensburg, R. F. D. No. 5; Harry Zivert, Greensburg, R. F. D. No. 7; Dick Sherrick of Pennsylvania; Herman H. Elkins, Hardsell, S. Adams; Archie Rowley and John W. Hangan of Star Junction; Albert G. Myers, Robert J. Conlen, Thomas F. Kessler, Earl Tregar, Jacob L. Peltor, of Mammoth; Frank G. Strickler, Dawson, R. F. D. No. 31; John R. Skivvoo and Alexander T. Russell, William Kelley and John Eric of "Sugar," Charles Burns, Nathaniel Elsburn, Southport; Annie Struble, of Lehigh; Rowell Sisley of Perryopolis, R. F. D. No. 24, and William H. Myers of Union, and Thomas F. Doyle of Brundageville.

Rev. Shearer's Resignation.
Rev. Thomas E. Shearer having been minister of the Scottdale Christian Church since the first of last May, tendered his resignation March 12, to take effect the last of April, and not at once has been represented. He and his family will leave Scottdale the last of April. Shearer has had calls from several churches in Ohio. As yet he has not decided as to where he will locate.

Rev. Shearer took up the Scottdale work the membership of the church was 64. During his pastorate 61 have been added to the church. Mrs. Shearer organized a Junior Society which now has a membership of 50 and they are doing splendid work. She has organized a William Workers class consisting of the older members of the Junior. These young people are studying the Preparatory Training Course by Herbert Moninger. This class is progressing nicely and will mean much to the future welfare of the church. Rev. Shearer also organized an Advanced Training Class, consisting of eight members.

The Bible School has entered the Front Rank list. In fact the whole church has taken on new life. It is the consensus of opinion that the year just passed has been the best in the history of the church. These two young people have labored enthusiastically since coming to Scottdale and are regarded as splendid successes. While Rev. Shearer is a young man he is an efficient minister; his sermons are to the kind that inspire and make you want to hear him again. Their many friends regret to have them leave.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

That Was Surprise for Harry Rosensteel at New Stanton.

A pleasant and surprising birthday party was given in honor of Harry Rosensteel of New Stanton, Pa., on last Saturday night. It being his 59th birthday. The children and grand children and sisters and friends all came with well filled baskets of all kinds of good things to eat and spread a most appetizing table of nourishing food before him, besides many beautiful and useful presents which were presented him. There were 46 present in all and all enjoyed themselves after supper they all went into the splendid parlor and sang "God Will Take Care of You" after which Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Adams sang a selection, and Mrs. G. H. Crosby and daughter, Miss Nellie, rendered a solo. All staid late and on leaving wished the host many more happy birthdays.

Classified Advertisements in this paper bring results. Try them. Only one cent a word.

TINY BABY HAD DREADFUL ECZEMA

On Hands, Face, Nose and Mouth. Hard Crust Formed and Cracked Open. Blood Ran. Itched Frightfully. Mitts on Hands. No Rest.

Got Cuticura. In 3 Days Relief. In 4 Weeks Cured Without a Mark.

When I have a little baby almost a year old, when it was two months old it got eczema on top of both her hands, on her face and inside her nose and mouth. She refused to drink her milk and would not open her mouth. The little girl could not sleep. We had to keep her from scratching at her face and her mother was forced to hold her in her arms and she had a very good doctor and he said that the only way to relieve the baby's trouble was to use Cuticura.

"We had tried of the Cuticura remedy so we went to the drug store and got some Cuticura soap and Cuticura ointment. We used them just as directed and in three days the crust began to come off. In a week there was a mark, she slept soundly in her cradle and her mother had no more sleepless nights because of the baby's suffering. Cuticura was a wonderful remedy for this disease and any one having eczema should not fail to get a box of Cuticura. It is sold by all druggists and by mail for 10 cents. Cuticura Remedies sold throughout the world. Putney Bros. & Co., Sole Agents, Boston. 25¢ Mail Free. 50¢ per box. Cuticura Remedies are available in the treatment of skin troubles."

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REAL GENTLE ARE THOSE DE NERIS.

President Scheffer of Eastern League Charges Tubers With Roughness.

WHAT WOULD THE COKERS DO?

If Do Neri Thinks McKeesport Roughs It in Basketball the Eastern Champs Should See "Pluggers" Doherty in Action.

President William J. Scheffer, in yesterday's North American, complains that Do Neri will stand no show at all in Pittsburgh with a Central league referee because of the "rough" tactics permitted in the western organization. Goodness me, what a genuine bunch Do Neri must be. Central league fans know there is no team in the league that roughs things less than McKeesport. During the gruelling pennant race of the 1910-11 season the Tubers played a clean, easy game. Their teamwork was of such a high order that there was no necessity for roughing and for McKeesport's style of play in any event. Fans of this section will watch the games in Pittsburgh with interest because every Eastern league player coming out here always has difficulty mastering the style of play that prevails. In the Eastern league fouls are not called for holding as they are in the Central organization and referees permit more scrambling in scrimmages.

But the charge that the McKeesport team was rough has caused fans out this way to wonder whether it is basketball or lawn tennis they play down east.

However, if the Do Neri team has a kick against the rough tactics of McKeesport it would be worth the price of admission to see them meet the Cokers. They should see "Pluggers" Doherty charge down the floor. Then they might decide that basketball is rough in the Central league. Not that "Pluggers" would be rough, but when he gets going it takes a steam shovel to stop him. As for the playing of Doherty, it is to be regretted. The Tubers have only six men and after going through the season and winning a pennant with this number it was not expected two regulars would be laid up for the world's series. Doherty isn't a better foul thrower than Sears and in field shots he did not shine Saturday night. O'Donnell and Sears both expect to get into the games in Pittsburgh and Do Neri will see some real teamwork then.

PARTY AT VANDERBILT.

Surprise for the 21st Birthday of Shade Fuller.

VANDERBILT, April 5.—A very delightful surprise party was given in honor of Shade Fuller's 21st birthday Monday evening, April 1, at his home. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all and many games were played until a late hour, when a dainty lunch

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Always remember the full name. Look for this signature on every box. 25c.

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Easter Shopping On in Earnest



What Is It

You won't want for Easter wear? We can answer that by suggesting what you will want, in fact, must have. For instance:

Suits, Coats, Hats, Dresses, Waists, Corsets, Petticoats, Muslin Wear, Children's Garments. (Second Floor.)

At this Store is Every Type of Easter Apparel for You

Easter but two weeks away! Nothing gained by delay—styles are fixed; there'll be no radical newness for Easter that is not already here. A greater reason for shopping now is that the alteration corps of both men's and women's apparel can better handle your orders than a few days before Easter.

TODAY—Greatest variety of styles in Connellsville. Greatest values, too—the influence of our New York office for wear things and our millinery work room, keeps prices to the lowest possible level, while maintaining the highest standard of quality.

The Biggest, Brightest Easter Stocks in Our History.

We believe you are interested in knowing this because it signifies vigorous growth, complete assortments and our faith in the future of Connellsville.

We are buying better and selling to your advantage.



Women's Fine Suits

To go into detail would occasion a description of practically every suit in the house. Most women already know, and others are quickly learning that to conduct a successful business as large as that of the Wright-Metzler Company, stylish things, dependable yet reasonably priced must be selected in a range that appeals to the most people. Think we have provided fully this season to meet the requirements from every point.

Between \$15 and \$22.50

Are suits that many people seem eager for. Fresh suits are coming in daily to replace those that go out quickly. Navy and black serge, fancy mixtures, greys and tans; pin striped effects on colors.

Between \$25 and \$47.50

Are the richer suits. These include models copied from foreign designers. The fine fabric sorts with touches of individuality—in some instances one of a kind. At present our workroom force can make alterations quicker than when the big Easter rush time comes. This week will prove a satisfactory buying time.

Originality and Individuality Are Brilliant Characteristics of the Famous Wright-Metzler Five Dollar Hats

Superior A PERFECT UNION SUIT

See Window Display.

In your Saturday Evening Post, of April 8th, will appear a national advertisement of Superior Union Suits. Come to this store for your supply, per cent.

\$1.00 to \$3.50 Suits

We have every style and all the colors and sizes.

The greatest claim for Superior Union Suits is their fit. Particular sizes for stout, slim and regularly proportioned men.

Imagine the variety! Dozens of styles—large hats, small hats—Fashion favors both. The newest Helms, Hood and Saller effects. The famous Wright-Metzler Bow Hats into which our designers have put the very spirit of Paris elegance. The draped effect with expertly wired loops—the best \$5.00 worth in our collection.

Charming little close fitting affairs for gussy days; hats for street wear; hats for every type of face, and coiffure.

These colors may harmonize with the suit you intend buying at the same time—King, Blue, Golden, Burnt, Black, Empire Green, Red Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



Lovely Easter Dresses

Of much interest to Easter purchasers is a small group of fine dresses, no two alike which came as a maker's sample line. The styles are exclusive and replete with individuality. As is always the case with samples, the materials and patterns are the best, and more—women who purchase one of these dresses need have no fear that her neighbor will appear in a duplicate. The rest of the lot is made up of messalines, tulle and foulards. A dress of note is black habutai silk at \$25.00.

All Dresses—Between \$15 and \$38.50

Confirmation Dresses

\$1.50 to \$13.50

A display of dresses on a large scale for growing girls at the hard-to-fit age.

For 6 to 14 years, \$1.50 to \$6.50

For 15 to 17 years, \$8.50 to \$13.50

Latter sizes are for girls between misses and children's ages. Garments cut different.

Spring Coats

Examining the goods and the style, the fit and the finish and you will admit the prices below were never so favorable for your reference as now.

For Women \$10.00 to \$25.00

For Misses \$10.00 to \$18.75

For Children \$3.50 to \$8.50

Dressy Skirts

You will never find this store trying to make its goods appear better than they are. An instance.

Voile \$10.00 to \$30.00

Other Fabrics \$6.00 to \$12.50

Domestics AND WHAT WE INTEND DOING.

Also Some Specials of Extra Value.

Believe today we have the best assortments of those items classed as domestics this store or any other store in the city ever had.

We are more keenly alive to the necessity of meeting your wishes and going ahead of your expectations—and eager to do so.

We will show you assortments such as you've never seen, and quote you fair prices.

Test this department—its methods, merchandise and prices.

Hundreds of pieces Standard Calico yard 6c

Lancaster Ginghams, best grade, yard 8c

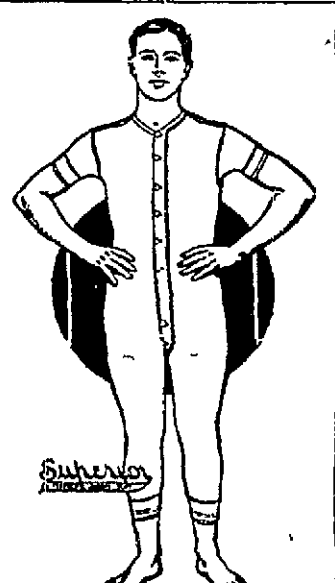
Standard light and dark percales, yard 12c

Entire stock of 10c Dress Ginghams for next three days, yard 8c

One lot Women's 25c Hose, broken sizes, black cotton, pair 19c

One lot 22 inch Messaline, equal to any 50c quality, extra heavy, all staple shades in newest designs, for the next three days, yard 39c

The balance or this week: Sale and display of art needlework and embroidery designs stamped without charge.



Women's Waists

Have prepared to do the waist business in a bigger way and of course that will give our friends better choice.

Come and see what care we've given to selection of fabrics, colors and models, and how lavishly we've been with orders.

Tailored Linen, Lawn, Madras and Dainty—\$1.00 to \$5.00.

Lingerie—\$1.00 to \$7.50.

Silk—Special, Black—\$3.95

Specials FOR THURSDAY FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Women's Suit Section, Second Floor.

Choice of one lot of taffeta petticoats in colors, value \$6.50 to \$12. Plain red, grey, green, lavender, blue, etc. Last three days this week.

at \$4.50

Black Taffeta Petticoats of a quality we've seen in Connellsville at \$5.00; very suitable for present day skirts, at, for the next three days,

only \$2.95

Black "Merito Taffeta" (not silk) petticoats. A petticoat fabric, close woven and durable; worth by usual standards \$1.50 for, the last three days

98c

Pure Linen Waists, two models, one called the "shirt," the other a pleated waist style, both tailored and with laundered collars and soft cuffs.

For three days 98c

Cleavely, stamped French waist patterns of white cotton voile for embroidery.

Special 50c Each

65c Fine Cluny 30 Inch Squares, Sale 39c

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Soisson Theatre. TONIGHT!

Whirlwind, Girlie, Liveliest of All Song Plays

5 MONTHS IN NEW YORK

THE Newlyweds and Their Baby

Founded on the Famous Cartoons of the New York World

Coming to Tickle You With the Same Splendid Comedy and Immense Production That Made All New York, Chicago and Boston Happy for Months.

60% PEOPLE

75% GIRLS

Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50

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Soisson Theatre. Thursday, April 6

BACK AGAIN! THE FAVORITES.

Monte Carlo Girls

EVERYTHING NEW.

BIGGER, BETTER, BRIGHTER THAN EVER BEFORE.

PRETTY GIRLS.